

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE:

U.S. Patent Application 10/014892, filed 11/9/01 Applicants: William R. Crumly and Marc Madou

For: ELECTROCHEMICAL MICROSENSOR PACKAGE

TC/A.U.: 1753

Examiner: Alex Noguerola

Attorney's Docket No. M - 2 CUSTOMER NO. 27304

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#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is a response to the Office Action mailed 06/21//04 for this application.

### **STATUS**

2. Applicant is a small entity. A verified statement was already filed.

## **EXTENTION OF TERM**

3. Applicant believes that no extension is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

# Certification under 37 CFR 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that on September 8, 2004 this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22318-1450 with sufficient postage as first class mail.

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## **FEE PAYMENT**

4. No fee payment is believed required.

### FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any additional extension and/or claim fees are required please charge Account No. 08-2781.

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED 06/21/04

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 06/21/04, please the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Specification: Amendments to the Specification are at page 13 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begins on page 14 of this paper.